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The Sentinel.

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 4.

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THE SENTINEL AT NEW ORLEANS.

To accommodate the throng from the Northwest who will desire to read their favorite home paper while attending the "World's Exposition," the Sentinel has been placed on sale in New Orleans at George F. Wharton & Bro's, No. 5 Carondelet street, between Canal and Common streets.

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Good conditioned old papers for sale at this office at only 40 cents per hundred.

CITY IN BRIEF.

Real estate transfers, 16; consideration, \$16,358.72.

The foremen of the various engine houses are hereafter to be called Captains.

The Governor has appointed Hamu Helms trustee of the Reform School.

The Boettcher meat case was dismissed yesterday in Squire Feibleman's court.

Governor Porter will address the Morton Club next Tuesday evening on "Gladstone."

George H. Chapman Post will hold a campfire this evening at 36 West Washington street.

Joe Butsch and Jerry Haley have been fined for their racket at the Lantz saloon on Washington street.

The Military Carnival managers have received a tender of the services of the Lyra and Mannerchor Societies.

William Long, of the No. 7's, and James Davis, foreman at Headquarters, have been chosen Assistant Chiefs of the Fire Department.

The Mendelssohn Choral Society has elected the following officers: A. W. Condit, President; Charles Fiske, Vice President; W. M. Hazlett, Secretary; Mrs. C. R.

Watson, Treasurer; Miss Carrie Van Vorhis, Librarian; Miss Helen Hickey, Mr. J. J. Cole and Miss Alice McQuiddy, Executive Committee.

Maggie Jones, a Shelbyville girl, was committed yesterday as a vagrant. She was found in a fine street water closet, and one of her feet was frozen.

Wah Kee has received a telegram announcing the death of his brother, who was on his way to this city, from jumping off a train at Laramie, Wyo.

We are indebted to Riegan, the florist of North Mississippi street, for a variety of flowers. They are very acceptable in the midst of snow and slush.

The general meeting of the Music and Entertainment Committee of the Military Carnival will be held at the residence of Mrs. Eulogie Miller, No. 282 North Pennsylvania street, at 10 o'clock to-day.

Police Commissioner Murphy has received an anonymous letter, stating that the State officers have determined to force him to resign. Mr. Murphy is not troubled about it, however, and says he is not going to resign.

The sale of reserved seats for the Mark Tain entertainment will begin on Thursday morning at Plymouth Church. Two readings will be given, Saturday afternoon at 1:45, and 8 o'clock Saturday evening. The selections will be entirely new.

The Executive Committee of the Mexican war veterans will meet this evening at 7:30 p. m., at Major J. W. Gordon's office, Thorpe Block, to make arrangements for the meeting of the State Association, to be held in this city, February 18. All veterans in the city are invited to attend.

Monday was Candlemas Day among the Catholics. At St. Mary's Academy an extra celebration was held, it being the twenty-fifth anniversary of the taking of the vow by Sister Superior Petrina, music and recitation forming the principal features. Her brother, Father Dickman, of Clark county, and her mother and sister were present at the celebration.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Captain Ritter left last night for Chicago.

Hon. A. J. Gorgas and Hon. W. S. Ray, of Shelbyville, are at the Bates.

Hon. John R. East and Hon. R. W. Meiers, of Bloomington, are stopping at the Grand.

Hon. James Harrison, one of the oldest attorneys of Shelbyville, was registered at the Grand yesterday.

Patrick Farley, of Liberty, called on yesterday. Mr. Farley is an applicant for the Postmastership at Liberty and has many friends who are urging his cause.

I. Lewis, Clinton; S. A. Wright, W. H. McKay, New Albany; R. E. Robins, Anderson; Mrs. R. W. Parr and son, Crawfordsville; W. T. Lytle, Delphi; J. E. Canaday, A. Richwine, Anderson; W. B. Tarlton and wife, Mrs. P. M. Parks, Miss W. Stephens, Martinsville; A. G. Campfield, Winchester; H. F. Underwood, Peru; H. B. Godfrey, New Albany; C. G. Myers, Washington, are at the New Occidental.

At the Bates: J. M. Coulter, Frankfort; M. Thompson, Crawfordsville; J. M. Mowser and wife, Miss Ella Mullen, New Castle; G. S. Fowler, Fort Wayne; S. M. McGregor, O. H. Knight, Brazil; A. W. Macy, Mooresville; L. J. Kirkpatrick, Kokomo; E. M. Hoeffer and wife, Bloomington; J. E. Linak, F. Brinkerink, J. J. Gilbert, Terre Haute; C. E. Montgomery, Petersburg; William Gross, Delphi; W. J. Henly, Koshong.

W. S. Hathaway, Monticello; C. E. J. M. Farlan, Connersville; C. O. Deming, Michigan City; T. C. Donnell and wife, Franklin; A. D. Baker, South Bend; Dr. J. R. Duncan, Crawfordsville; Dr. R. J. Wilson, Salem; D. H. Brown, Seymour; A. M. Atkinson and wife, Miss Mammie Atkinson, Miss Belle Murphy, Wabash; J. A. McGregor, Columbus; Henry R. Fry, Marion; J. D. Myers, Worthington; N. A. Hill, Bloomington; Thomas J. Roush, C. W. Fisk, Logansport; John Tison, Franklin; C. M. Thompson, Bowling Green; A. G. Mills, North Manchester; J. E. Miller, Worthington; O. E. Dickinson, Spencer; C. H. Thompson, Shelbyville; John R. Clift, Marion; J. Lee Ferguson, Knightstown, are at the Grand Hotel.

The Wigwag rink.

The Wigwag rink was densely packed last night with an enthusiastic audience to witness the five mile contest for the championship of the city and a gold medal, it being the last of a series of races for said championship. There were four starters, but on the seventh lap Mr. Chester Spain, who was the winner of the one mile race, withdrew on account of an accident to his skates and a sudden illness, which left the contest practically between Mr. Walter Dean and Mr. Edward Stout. By several very handsome "spurts" Mr. Dean succeeded in gaining about one and a half laps upon his opponent, which he maintained to the end, being the winner in 22:50.

Mr. Chester Spain has issued a challenge to Mr. Dean to skate him a race within the next two weeks for the championship and \$15, the contest to be the above-named distance. It is understood Mr. Dean will accept.

To-morrow night the collar and hat party will take place. Good music this afternoon.

Privileged from Arrest.

An attachment for Michael J. Gallagher, Assistant Doorkeeper of the Senate, was received yesterday by Sheriff Carter from Cass County. It appears that he was wanted as a witness in a criminal case in that county, and being there recently a subpoena was served on him, but he gave the officer the slip, hence the attachment. When Sheriff Carter attempted to arrest him he claimed to be privileged from arrest as an officer of the General Assembly. The question was submitted to Ross Clark, the sheriff's attorney, who holds that under the statute an Assistant Doorkeeper was as much an officer of the General Assembly as is the principal Doorkeeper, and that while serving as such an Assistant Doorkeeper he was privileged from arrest. The officers from Cass County have manifested considerable feeling over the matter, but Gallagher seems to have the "dead wood" on them.

Plymouth Institute.

The monthly open meeting of the Plymouth Institute will be this evening. The programme will all center about Robert Burns, in commemoration of the 125th anniversary of his birth. A paper will be given by Miss Elizabeth Nicholson, followed by a general conversation led by Dr. Brayton. The musical features will consist of songs by Mrs. Levering, and "Tam O'Shanter" by instrumentalists. A cordial invitation is given to all interested.

LEGISLATIVE NOTES.

The Affairs of the New Insane Asylums to be Investigated.

The Bill Abolishing the Offices of City Treasurer and Assessor Favorably Reported.

The Investigation of the Management of the Soldiers' Orphan's Home to Begin To-day.

Miss Callie, State Librarian, has been directed to purchase a State flag.

Senator Foulke has received orders from his constituency to oppose the Schloess Metropolitan Police bill, because it would affect the city of Richmond.

Mr. Patton's bill to abolish the grand jury system has been indefinitely postponed, for the reason that the committee has considered another bill and reported it to the House.

The bill to prevent gambling at agricultural fairs was engrossed yesterday, and the good people whose sense of propriety has been so often shocked by such exhibitions have the prospect of seeing the measure finally go through.

The bill to require railroad companies to pay a reasonable attorney's fee in cases where stock is killed on their roads, and judgment for the value of the same is rendered, came up again yesterday on report of the Judiciary Committee. Several amendments were prepared and the bill and amendments were recommitted.

From the House Committee on Public Expenditures, Mr. Gooding reported in favor of the Moody resolution, providing for the appointment of a special committee of five to investigate the affairs of the three new insane asylums. An amendment was adopted empowering the committee to send for persons and papers and to administer oaths.

Representative Kellison's bill requiring the original papers to be sent up to the Supreme Court instead of a transcript, as heretofore, and thus saving costs to the litigants, was reported by the committee without recommendations. Mr. Browning moved to strike out the enacting clause, but no second responded, and the bill was ordered engrossed.

The bill to abolish the offices of City Assessor and City Treasurer of Indianapolis has been reported favorably from committee. The bill provides that the present incumbents shall serve out the time for which they were elected. The Schmidt bill, authorizing the city to build a market-house and other public buildings, was also favorably reported from committee.

In the Senate yesterday a memorial from all the ministers of Indianapolis churches was read, congratulating the Legislature on the introduction of a bill to prohibit Sunday beer tail playing, and deprecating the passage of any bill looking to lengthening the time for which saloons may be kept open. The same memorial was presented in the House.

The bill establishing the Forty-sixth Judicial Circuit was reported favorably by the committee yesterday, read a second time and ordered engrossed. Adams and Jay Counties constitute the circuit, and the Judge and Prosecutor are to be appointed by the Governor till the next general election. There is understood to be some opposition to the bill, and the member from Grant premises to say something upon it when it is called up for a third reading.

The special committee appointed to investigate the management of the Soldiers' Orphan's Home and Asylum for Feeble Minded Children will visit Knightstown to-day and enter upon its labors. In conversation with Mr. Loyd yesterday afternoon he said that the investigation would be conducted here, but the committee would visit the Home at Knightstown in order to make a beginning on this work, and that he hoped to report the investigation full and impartial. It is understood that the public is to be excluded and this is construed to mean representatives of the newspapers. This is a new departure and one that the committee should reconsider at its first meeting. The public have a right to know what is transpiring in the investigation without waiting for the result to be reported to the Legislature.

Mr. Brownlee's bill to repeal the present ditch law was reported unfavorably by the committee. Speaking of the bill, Mr. Brownlee said that ditching under the Circuit Court law costs 40 per cent. more than it does in the Commissioners' Court, and that any man can have a "cat pond" drained, and compel men to ditch their land for a distance of ten miles. He charged that lawyers were in the habit of going to irresponsible parties and getting them to file petitions for drains; that all the parties whose lands were affected by the drain were compelled to pay the costs. Other gentlemen spoke in favor of the law, declaring that it was the most economical. Mr. Williams thought it should be called "a law to confiscate property," and he moved to lay the report of the committee upon the table. The motion prevailed, and the bill to repeal was read a second time and ordered engrossed. Mr. Gooding, Mr. Hoban and others speaking for the repeal.

EXECUTIVE APPOINTMENTS.

Mr. Shively, from the Committee on Executive Appointments, returned the following message from the Governor with a recommendation that the appointments therein made be confirmed by the Senate:

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT.
Indianapolis, January 23, 1885.

Gentlemen of the Senate:

By an examination of the official record I find there has been no appointment made for nearly four years of Trustee of the Indiana State Normal School, and by this means officers have been permitted to hold office for more than four years contrary to the letter of the law and against the spirit of the constitution, which limits official terms unless reappointed subject to the approval of the Senate.

By Section 454 of the Revised Statutes of 1881, the term of office of a trustee is four years, and two members of the Board of Trustees of the Indiana State Normal School shall retire every two years.

Therefore, in order to comply with said section and preserve the usual date for the retirement of said two members, I have the honor to make the following appointments, subject to the approval of the Senate, for the terms hereinafter stated, to-wit:

Murray Briggs, of Sullivan County, to be a member of said Board of Trustees, to succeed himself, and to serve as such for a term of four years from the 20th day of December, 1885, and until his successor shall have been appointed and qualified.

William E. McKean, of Vigo County, to be a member of said Board of Trustees, to succeed Joseph Gilbert, and to serve as such for a term of four years from the 20th day of December, 1885, and until his successor shall have been appointed and qualified.

Benjamin F. Spann, of Madison County, to be a member of said Board of Trustees, to succeed George J. Reed, and to serve as such for a term of four years from the 20th day of December, 1885,

and until his successor shall have been appointed and qualified.
Bernates C. Hobbs, of Parke County, to be a member of said Board of Trustees, to succeed himself, and to serve as such for a term of four years from the 20th day of December, 1885, and until his successor shall have been appointed and qualified.
ISAAC P. GRAY, Governor.

The report was concurred in, and so the appointments were confirmed by the Senate.

COURT-HOUSE LOCALS.

Dismissal of Several Suits—Several New Suits Filed.

The divorce suit of Barbara G. Wimmer vs. Francis Wimmer was dismissed in Room 2 yesterday.

Florence Smith has been divorced from Richard Smith, on proof of failure to provide, by Judge Taylor.

O. N. Frenzel has taken judgment in foreclosure against J. S. Sawyer and others in Room 3 for \$2,299.50.

Nimrod R. Louthar has given bonds in the sum of \$1,000 as guardian of the persons and estates of William H. and Archibald Lytle.

The damage suit of Theodore G. Light vs. Frank Bird has been dismissed in Room 2 Light being for the loss of his wife's services, she having been injured in a runaway.

The suit of John Callaghan vs. Henry Niemeyer, for damages growing out of a dog bite, and which was tried before a Peace Justice, was dismissed in Room 3 yesterday.

James M. Tomlinson has filed against R. L. and Eveline F. Talbot and others, to foreclose a mortgage given to secure a \$3,000 note given by Talbot in January, 1874. Demand \$5,000.

The suit of Vert Endry vs. Frederick Boetticher has been appealed from Squire Feibleman to the Supreme Court. This was the case where plaintiff recovered \$150 damages last week.

In the suit of John W. Fort et al. vs. W. L. Mendenhall et al., which was for an injunction, judgment was taken on the verdict for \$2,135.54 for the First National Bank in Room 3 yesterday.

Angeline Alder has filed suit against the Globe Mutual Assessment Life Association, of Tennessee, to collect \$2,000 insurance on the life of her husband, Frank Alder. Notice of motion for the appointment of a receiver for the defendant, which will be heard the 14th, was also filed with the complaint.

Caroline Stumph has sued for divorce from John B. Stumph. They were married in March, 1863, and have four children, the oldest being eighteen and the youngest thirteen years of age. The complaint alleges that for many months they have been living apart, although in the same house. John is charged with cruel treatment during the last three years, and has occasionally struck her. Without cause he has accused her of infidelity and denied that the two youngest children are his. She also alleges that he has written of her a long article of an indecent character, which he has shown to different persons and which he threatens to have published. The truth of the charges she denies. Caroline also alleges that John has failed to make suitable provision for her and her children during the past nine months, and that his conduct has become unbearable. John is thought to be worth \$100,000, and Caroline asks that one-third of his real estate be set off to her for the support of herself and for additional money as alimony for a decree for the support of the children, and that he be required to pay into court the money necessary to enable her to prosecute this suit and for temporary expenses.

It is quite probable that G. G. Dixon will be appointed Agent of the Meridian street Ry. Four office.

A large number of loaded freight cars are standing in the various city yards awaiting transportation. Freight business is heavy over all roads.

There was a meeting of the stockholders of the Belt yesterday which resulted in the election of the old Board of Directors. W. R. McKee, of the Vandallia, was elected President, and A. D. Lynch, Secretary and Treasurer. The annual report of this company has already been published.

Receiver Clark, of the New York and New England Railroad, has issued the following notice: "Much to the regret of the Receiver, William Caleb Loring has again resigned the office of General Solicitor. Correspondence upon legal matters should now be addressed to H. E. Bolles, Assistant General Solicitor. Mr. Loring retaining the position of General Counsel."

Trains of the Texas-Mexican Central Road Company have recently carried considerable freight destined for foreign ports. The freight received at Corpus Christi Station in two days for shipment to New York, Hamburg and Havre was as follows: 123 bags wool, 437 bales tules, 122 bales goat skins, 20 bales hog skins, 14 bales deer skins, 10 bales hair. Total weight was 276,778 pounds.

M. Knight, General Freight Agent of the Wabash, has issued the following notice to agents and connections: "I am advised that on and after this date, on business from connecting lines where percentage divisions are in force, the Buffalo, New York and Philadelphia Railroad Company will demand a minimum rate of 2 1/2 cents per 100 pounds, when pro rata allows them less."

The sixty days from default of rental allowed under the lease of Jersey Central to Reading, before proceedings can be taken to annul the lease, expired on February 1. It is reported that the Jersey Central directors have already given instructions to the property to proceed for the recovery of the property to the lessors if default in the rental continues. Directors Little, Sloan and Todd have been appointed a committee to meantime make a formal demand on Reading for the amount of the Jersey Central dividend.

Local Courts.

Room 1.—Hon. N. B. Taylor, Judge. Annie J. Miller vs. Edgar L. Miller. Suit to modify decree. Taken under advisement.

Adolph Harder vs. Elizabeth Lodge No. 498 Knights and Ladies of Honor. Appeal. Judgment for defendant.

William M. Johnston et al. vs. Kingan & Co., limited, et al. Suit on conversion, etc. Dismissed.

Thomas C. Day et al. vs. Rebecca N. Fry et al. Suit on appeal. Taken under advisement.

Thomas Smith vs. Richard Smith. Suit for divorce. Failure to provide. Granted.

Room 2.—Hon. D. W. Howe, Judge. Theodore G. Light vs. Frank Bird. Damages. Dismissed.

Charles Johnson vs. Thomas Mann et al. Dismissed.

Henry Schmidt vs. William Schmidt et al. Foreclosure. Judgment for \$340.98.

Barbara G. Wimmer vs. Francis Wimmer. Divorce. Dismissed.

Thomas K. Knapp vs. Rachel Morrison. Judgment for \$182.16.

The Riley Hoop and Heading Company vs. A. C. May. Judgment for \$809.42.

Patrick E. Fitzpatrick vs. Barbara Green et al. Foreclosure dismissed.

Francis L. Hill vs. Henry F. Habeny et al. To quiet title. On trial by the court.

Room No. 3.—Hon. Lewis C. Walker, Judge. Joseph W. Nerthey vs. W. H. Forkner et al. Foreclosure chattel mortgage. Finding for \$83.79.

Otto N. Frenzel, trustee, vs. John S. Sawyer et al. Foreclosure. Judgment for \$2,299.50.

Abraham Levy vs. John Mann et al. Suit on note. Dismissed at plaintiff's costs.

John W. Fort et al. vs. Wm. Mendenhall et al. Injunction. Judgment on verdict for \$2,134.54.

John Callaghan vs. Henry Niemeyer. Suit for damages. Dismissed for want of prosecution.

Railroad Wrecks.

Two railroad wrecks were reported last night. The L. B. and W. train which was due at 10:45 last evening was derailed at a station named Messick, about six miles the other side of New Castle, the cause being a turned switch. The engineer, Richard Trenary, of West Indianapolis, was reported injured in the hand. He was reported to be on the train and Dr. Marsee was directed to meet him on his arrival. The train was considerably delayed by the accident.

The Bee Line train was reported as having met with an accident at some point near the State line. George Dietrich, Mail Agent, formerly of this city, but now of Ohio, was on the train, as he is a telegram was received to the effect that he was too badly injured to come any farther. The extent of his injuries could not be learned, nor could the damages sustained by the train.

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